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## NEW 1950 BUICK CARS ANNOUNCED WEDNESDAY

FLINT, Mich., Dec. 28—Buick today announced for 1950 its most comprehensive line of cars since the pre-war days, and for the first time offered models in a wide range from the newly-invented lower price field to luxury custom models in the upper brackets. The cars are completely new from styling and engineering standpoints, boasting more powerful engines, new and roomier bodies, greater comfort, and sweeping fender lines carried through the length of the body.

Altogether there are 19 models in the line with seven in the Special Series and six models each in the Super and Roadmaster Series. Basically the cars are on three different chassis but one model in both the Super and Roadmaster Series is on a lengthened chassis to accommodate a more spacious body.

A new engine is offered in the Super Series while the Roadmaster and Special engines have undergone changes to give increased performance.

Highlighting the style of the new cars are lower lines, the apparent use of more glass and Buick's characteristic full taper-through front fenders flowing in smooth lines through the entire body length. These lines are accentuated in the medium and higher priced models by a stainless moulding running most of the length of the car.

Two distinct body styles are utilized (turn to page five)

## Mrs. Lelia Batte Is Winner In Contest As Poem Writer

Lelia McAnally Batte has been notified that she has won second place in "Texas Society of Poetry" contest, (the Hamlet prize for best quatrain).

Some of the most distinguished poets won second and third places in other contests.

Mrs. Batte has had thirty-eight poems published, and in addition to her poetry is writing short stories and hopes to complete her "History of Milam County" in 1950.

The book will be authentic and interesting and will present in a most interesting manner the background and events the colorful heroes and times in early day Texas.

## Billy Hanes Home For Holidays; Has College Chum Guests

One of the happy home coming developments for the Christmas holidays was the visit of Billy Hanes from Annapolis Naval Academy and with him two college chums who came to spend a portion of the season in Cameron.

Billy, his first year at Annapolis, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hanes. Bill Powers of Bryan, also a cadet at Annapolis, is here and will return home Wednesday. Both are due back at the Academy early next week. Powers is a half back on the Navy football team and was one of the men to score a touchdown on Army in 1948 in that great game.

Malcolm Stokes of Littlefield, student at the University of Colorado, at Boulder, is also here and is naturally very proud of the home team winning state Class A championship over Mexia December 26. All have been exchanging tall tales of grid-iron exploits.

Hanes tried football at Annapolis but suffered a recurrence of an old injury, broken collar bone. He hopes to play baseball.

## Former Cameron Girl Hurt In Auto Crash Gatesville Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Fellers of Gatesville are in Hillcrest Hospital in Waco because of injuries sustained on Christmas Day when their car was overturned near their home. A tire blew out on the machine and it plunged into a ditch.

They were on their way to Madisonville to visit friends. Mr. Fellers suffered broken ribs and face lacerations while Mrs. Fellers was badly bruised and suffered from shock.

Mrs. Fellers is the former Miss Una Fay Terry of Cameron and a sister of Mrs. Douglas Barron at Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here.

## Milk Bowl Will Be Formally Organized Here Late Tuesday

Representatives from Gause where the Milk Bowl Game idea originated and Chamber of Commerce officials were to meet in Cameron late Tuesday for formal organization.

A charter will be sought and all rites on the Milk Bowl protected. It is to be made an annual event in Cameron. The first such game in the history of football was played here on Saturday, December 10 between San Saba and Gause.

Dixie Walker of Gause was in Cameron Tuesday and a meeting has been called. The purpose was to perfect an organization and to make the movement both permanent and official.

## Holiday Death Toll In America is 611

CHICAGO, Dec. 27—The National Safety Council warned today that the Christmas holiday toll of 611 accidental deaths would be repeated during the New Year holiday unless "The people have sickened of making horror days out of their holidays."

The council said the Christmas carnage should horrify the nation as greatly as the Texas City disaster two years ago.

A final tabulation by United Press showed that 611 persons died in accidents across the country between 6 p. m. Friday and midnight Monday. Traffic accidents accounted for 420 of the deaths.

## Two Cameron Boys On Athletic Award List At Schreiner

Bob Holloway and Jimmy O'Neill of Cameron are among the football great at Schreiner Institute in Kerrville to receive awards, both being two lettermen.

Both are former Cameron Yoemen and starred for three years in high school here. Both are linemen and are among Coach Leo Daniels prized Mountaineer squadmen.

They will be playing their Junior year next year and are among the best materials the Institute has had in years.

## Reynaldo Alfaro Pays \$200 Fine For Drunk Driving; Loses License

Reynaldo Alfaro has paid a fine of \$200 in county court on charge of driving a car while drunk. To the fine has been added the costs of court and in addition license to drive has been suspended for 6 months.

Alfaro when arrested was released on bond in the sum of \$300 and retained counsel. As the County Attorney prepared to prosecute the case Alfaro changed his plea to guilty and was fined as above stated.

Mrs. Clyde Williams of Gause transacted business here recently.

## BUSINESS WAS BETTER THAN IT WAS IN 1948

Business was better in 1949 than it was in 1948, especially the Christmas volume of selling.

A limited survey at key merchandising centers in Cameron early Tuesday brings a fairly unanimous report on the volume of business here during December.

Generally business was better in 1949 than it was in 1948 and this was the pattern of business over the country as a whole. There was more buying at Christmas than during the holiday season in 1948, it was reported here Tuesday by merchants in every classification.

Optimism was expressed everywhere as the old year drew to a close and 1950 loomed. There was little doubt that in the New Year the more sales conscious merchants would resolve to regain Cameron's once dominant place as a retail center.

Newspaper advertising played a leading role in the volume of retail trade, especially during peak season like that of the Christmas holidays. In the New Year it was expected that Cameron merchants would launch a bigger program of advertising because therein lies the key to larger volume business.

Buying power was high and according to the national index will continue to be high in the New Year.

## YULE DECORATIONS IN CITY ACHIEVED MUCH

By LORETTA BROCK

The City was more beautiful in the residential area than it has ever been at Christmas time. People for miles around came to Cameron to view these unusual and beautiful displays. There are certainly many unique and beautiful arrangements.

Out of town judges viewed the array here when they had the most difficult job of all, that of deciding the winners. The judges were: Earl T. Pate, T. P. & L. of Temple, Matthew Ashley, Temple Floral Company; Raymond C. Lee, Lee Sign Service of Temple and they were accompanied by Arnold Mathias, Assistant Manager of the Temple Chamber of Commerce. The judges were given judging sheets with four points to judge on—originality, arrangement, color, lighting. Each entry was given a score for each of these points and later these scores were added for the final average. Only numbers were used for the judging, the judges did not know the names of the entries. After much deliberation on the part of the Judges, they picked the winners as follows:

First place of \$50.00 to Mrs. W. J. Donovan, who has a very original and unique arrangement of Santa Claus, a lighted 20 foot Christmas tree and huge packages with little elfs struggling to get them under the tree. A door piece with the word (turn to page eight)

## 1950 IS ELECTION YEAR HERE

## TEXAS SOLON ASKS COTTON CHANGE

## TAX PAYMENT ON INCREASE

### CITY PRIMARY TO BE FIRST OF ELECTIONS

1950 is political year and there will be, at least six elections for the people of Cameron and 4 for the people at large over the county.

They begin in February when the City Primary is held. Then will follow the city general election. After that comes the general state primary in July, then the run off and the general election in November. In between comes school trustee elections both in the city and in the county.

It is important that you be armed, so pay your poll tax. If you reside in the city you must pay city and county and state poll tax. It will cost you and wife \$5.50 to qualify for voting.

Feeling has been growing in Cameron for several years that the city primary should be abolished. It should be abolished only because there is no party competition. Nomination is equivalent to election. No good purpose is served by the present set up in the city since no Democratic Primaries are held in the off years. In 1951 three members of the board of Aldermen will be elected, enough to control because a majority, and they are not party nominated, just elected in April.

In 1950 all city offices are to be filled except that of three members of the board. If the primary is not called, considerable expense will be saved candidates since they must pay for the primary. When elected in April the city pays the election cost.

The primary is called by the City Democratic Executive Committee. They have elected not to call primary in the off years, thus they abandon the nominating machinery in the case of electing 3 members of the Council and take up the machinery when two are nominated.

If the Committee calls an election for February it will be held on the second Tuesday. Politicians, office holders and those who want to hold office, will soon be looking for the first dog wood bloom. Then it will be time to start handshaking.

Mrs. Ernest E. Williams is ill and among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Jim McMillan of Dallas spent the week end in Cameron visiting relatives.

### HOPE FOR INCREASE IN ACREAGE IS SEEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27—Prompt consideration by congress of changes in the cotton area quota law was urged today by Rep. Lucas (D-Tex.). "Something must be done at once to remove injustices of the present program," he told a reporter.

"I was aghast to learn of the kind of allotments received by scores of farmers throughout every county in my district."

"They were given no credit for lands they had planted to peanuts in line with the government's program to produce more edible oils. Yet they had been promised they would get credit for war crops when quotas were fixed for a cotton control program."

Lucas described the situation as "so serious with many farmers that they face financial ruin" unless congress takes some action to change the program before planting time.

Texas' share of the national cotton acreage was based on 95 per cent of the land actually planted in cotton in 1948. The law provides that allocation to counties must be based on the same method used in assigning an individual state's share of the total. Some state quotas reflected war crops grown in the 1945-48 period.

Lucas said there are hundreds of farmers throughout Central and West Texas counties who planted heavily in peanuts and grain sorghums during the past four or five years.

He said their plight is identical with that of growers in Texas Gulf Coastal Bend counties, where much land formerly devoted to cotton had been planted in grain sorghums and flax in recent years.

Ten growers from the coastal bend sector have filed a suit against Agriculture Secretary Charles Brannan, seeking credit for the war crops in computing cotton acreage quotas. The trial date has been set of Jan. 23.

## Josephine Matocha Publicity Chairman For College Sports

Miss Josephine Matocha daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Matocha, has been named publicity chairman of the Lake Sports Association at Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, where she is a freshman student.

Purpose of the Association, affiliated with the Texas Recreation Federation for College Women, is to promote student interest and participation in sports and recreational activities.

Composed of a number of group interest clubs, the Association's activities include volleyball, archery, badminton, basketball, swimming, riding, tennis and golf.

## National Guardsmen Get Holiday Pay; Total Is \$1800.00

Checks totaling more than eighteen hundred dollars were received just in time to be distributed to the officers and enlisted men of Battery C, 649th Anti-aircraft Artillery Battalion at their last weekly drill period before Christmas.

It was the largest payroll yet received by the local National Guard unit, Captain Rudolph Michalka said, and reflected the recent pay increases granted the Armed Forces, and also the continued growth of the battery.

Capt. Michalka also announced that another application to fill an officer vacancy in the unit had been received and was being considered at this time.

In addition, two enlisted men were added to the battery's rolls recently, he said. They are Eugene E. Marak, a farmer, and Sammy L. Tyler, a student and war veteran.

Richard Johns a student at Texas University is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ida Johns and other friends and relatives.

### POLL TAX PAYMENTS SPEED UP IN COUNTY

Tax payments were on the increase both city and county.

Poll tax payments are speeding up since 1950 is election year. There was temporary hesitation due to the uncertainty of the proposed amendment to abolish the poll tax, but since it failed to pass, folks are getting their ammunition in tow for the battle of ballots next year.

A report at the office of Valter White, tax collector, showed that tax paying has spurred upward in the past few days. Only three days remain before January 1 and many will pay because taxes are deductible from income tax reports.

January 31 is the deadline to pay taxes without penalty. Mr. White said that it appeared that poll tax as well as other payments would be about normal.

In the city W. H. Stafford, city collector, said that tax payments, both poll and property tax was about normal. He said that the heavy volume of payments will come in January but up to Wednesday payments have been about normal.

## Miss Gwyn Wilson One of Ten Most Beautiful At State

AUSTIN—Miss Gwyn Wilson of Cameron has been chosen as one of the "Ten Most Beautiful Girls" at the University of Texas. The selection was made by Movie Star John Derek from pictures of 25 finalists.

The ten co-eds will be presented at "Time Stagers On," musical show sponsored by Theta Sigma Phi, women's honorary journalism society. The show will run January 12-14.

Miss Wilson, freshman majoring in home economics, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Wilson. She is a pledge of Alpha Chi Omega sorority and is president of the freshman YWCA group.

## 18 Milam Boys Will Enter Dairy Show In Houston Feb. 1-12

The junior dairy show of the 1950 Houston Fat Stock Show, Feb. 1 through 12, promises to be the most outstanding in the show's 18-year history and Milam county will be presented among 188 dairy animals awarded winners in the show's dairy milking race in 1948 and 1949.

Included among those entering the junior dairy show are: Billy Eubanks, FFA from Rockdale, Rettig's Ice Cream Co. of Houston, sponsor; Billy C. Graham, FFA from Thorndale, South Texas Producers of Houston, sponsor; Harold Korngay, FFA from Gause, Rt. 1, Earl Fuchs of Houston, sponsor; Franklin Glaser, FFA from Cameron, Rt. 1, Bruce Carter of Houston, sponsor; Morris Cryer, FFA from Buckholts, Rt. 1, Klein's Ice Cream Co. of Houston, sponsor; Sidney L. Maxwell, FFA from Rockdale, Box 168, Becker's Jewelry Store of Houston, sponsor; Marvin Rodenbeck, FFA from Thorn-dale, Box 125, Milton Underwood Co. of Houston sponsor.

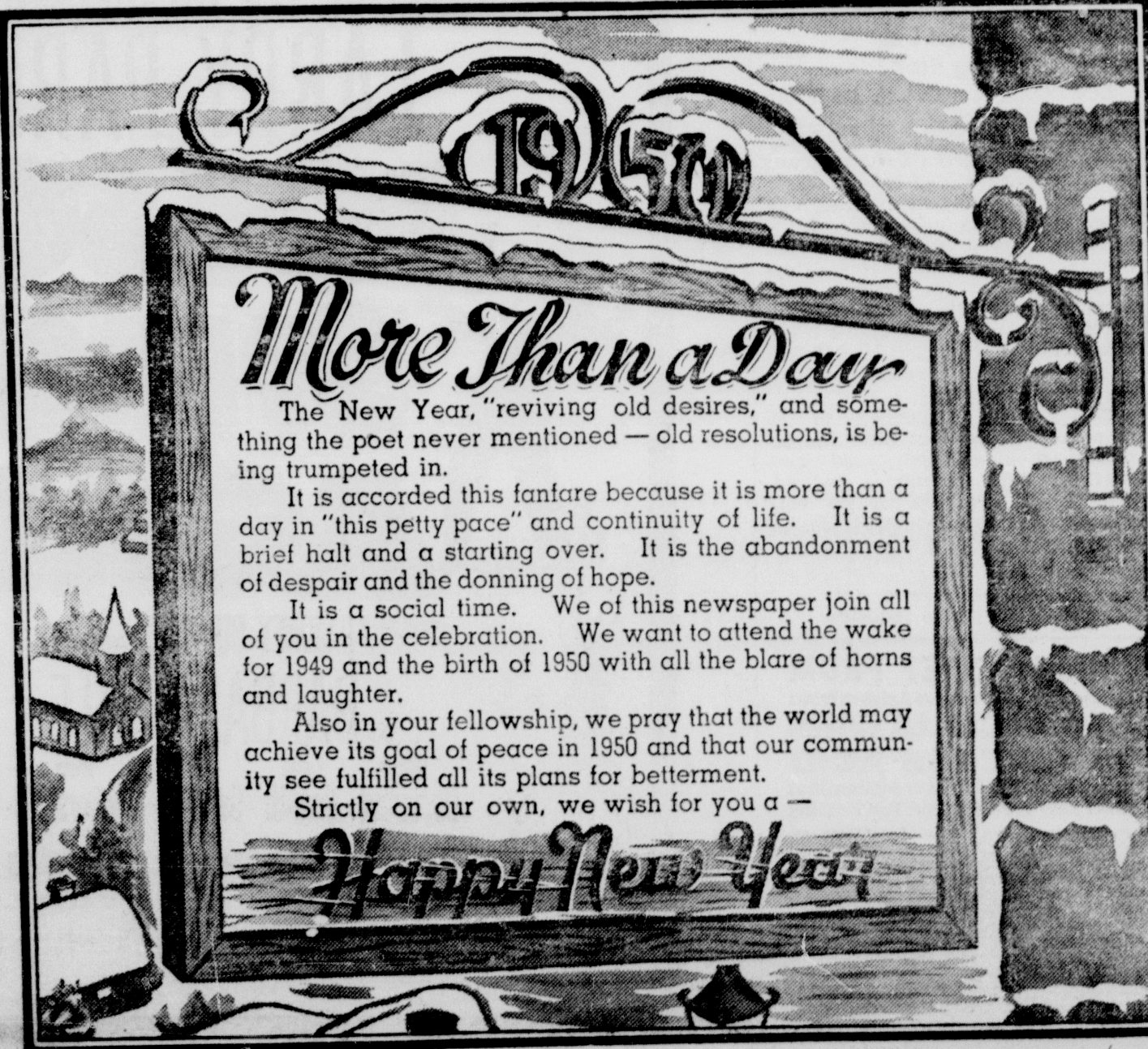
## W. C. HERNDON DIED IN CORPUS CHRISTI

Walter Clay Herndon, 75, co-owner of Herndon Marine Products Co., and resident of Corpus Christi since 1931, died at 2 p. m. yesterday in a local hospital following a long illness.

Born in Plantersville, Miss., in 1874, Herndon came to Texas with his parents when he was 3 years old. He attended schools in Milam and Lee Counties and a business college in Waco.

He was married July 28, 1897, to Miss Carrie Howell of Rockdale and the couple celebrated their Golden Wedding in 1947.

Herndon was employed as a car (turn to page eight)





## TAKING TEXAS OUT OF MUD COMMISSION JOB

AUSTIN, Dec. 25.—To give the country folks better roads, to offer highway travelers shorter, safer, smoother routes, the Highway Department spent \$106,000,000 in 1949. It was the first hundred-million-dollar year in Texas highway building in history. The new year won't see quite so much spent for roads—probably about 90 million dollars. That's still a lot of money and will produce a lot of paving. Emphasis will be on building roads for farmers. Though the total outlay, for primary highways, Farm-to-Market roads and maintenance will not be as great in 1950, the farm road program will be larger than that of 1949. "We will really get in high gear on the Colson-Briscoe Farm-to-Market-program," promised State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer. He estimated 55 per cent of the money spent for construction in

1950 will be for farm roads. The State has been spending about 25 million dollars a year on farm roads since World War II. A peak of approximately 2,000 miles of this type construction was laid in 1949. The Colson-Briscoe Law passed by the 51st Legislature set up a special fund providing \$15,000,000 a year for Farm-to-Market roads only, and 1950 will mark the first full year of operation under the new law. This will offset decreased federal funds and declining revenue from the State gasoline tax, Greer said. Federal aid won't be quite as heavy for Texas in 1950 because the Highway Department has been expediting the building program the past two years and "has put under rubber some of the work that had been planned for 1950," Greer said. He was unable to explain a slight downward trend in revenue from the 4-cent-a-gallon State gasoline tax. "It may be a temporary lull. It's the first since the war," Greer commented.

Counties still handle upkeep of some roads, but more and more mileage is being turned over to the State. The Highway Department now has supervision of some 29,000 miles of paving.

It costs a pretty penny to keep these roads in good condition. Maintenance—including traffic service such as road striping, markers and warning signs, special and regular maintenance—added up to 22 million dollars in 1949. Special maintenance is the addition of something, such as a new seal coat, to the original construction. Naked maintenance—holding what the State had in the original paving—accounts for 18 of the 22 million dollars.

Building and upkeep of the State's roads provides employment for an average of about 8,000 men, roughly divided 7,000 for maintenance and 1,000 for engineering work.

Administrative expense of the State Highway Department was 1.1 per cent of that agency's total outlay of 1949, Greer reported. The percentage represents \$1,200,000 and includes engineering and overhead costs.

Seventy per cent went for construction; 21 per cent for maintenance; the remainder for administration, equipment, the State Highway Patrol, which received two per cent of the Highway Department's income, and miscellaneous, Greer said.

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## Historic City Of Colonial U.S. Still Is Growing

WILLIAMSBURG, VA. — This Colonial capital of Virginia now 250 years old is not content with its wealth of history and tradition, nor is it prone to just settle down and dwell on its past.

The past means everything, of course, to Williamsburg, but the old town isn't letting the vision of the past obscure its vision of the future. Instead, the old town is still growing.

Naturally, its growth isn't quite like that of other communities, for Williamsburg is unique in all the world. It is the restoration of an entire town, just as it looked and, to an amazing extent, just as it lived in those days when it witnessed the first great scenes leading to U.S. independence.

New-old Buildings  
To mark its 250th anniversary, two new-old buildings were dedicated; one an arsenal dating from 1718, the other a guardhouse first erected in 1755.

Two centuries ago, Williamsburg was the center of the political, social and commercial life of Virginia—the largest, wealthiest and most populous of England's American colonies.

Following the establishment of near-by Jamestown as the first permanent English settlement in America in 1607, the harassed settlers built a tall stake palisade across the entire Tidewater peninsula in an effort to curb the Indians and protect the settlements of the peninsula.

But the palisade did not guarantee peace for Jamestown. Finally after years of pestilence, massacres, fires and other privations, the general assembly passed an act in 1699 directing the building of a capitol and the city of Williamsburg on higher ground, six miles farther inland.

That same act gave explicit directions as to how the city was to be developed, one of the earliest examples of city planning in America.

Streets were carefully laid out with the pleasant addition of spacious public greens to set off the imposing public buildings. A certain uniformity of building was required and the foresight of those early day planners two and a half centuries ago is evident today in the dignity of the restored city.

Two-sided Nature

As capital of the colony, Williamsburg had a two-sided nature. During normal seasons it was a quiet college town, county seat and governmental center, but during the "public times" when the house of burgesses was in session and the courts convened it became a teeming metropolis notable for "the prodigious number of coaches that crowded the deep and sandy streets." Plays, balls, entertainments, fairs and horse races were held and the money business of the colony was transacted.

Eighty years during that period saw the spark of liberty smolder and finally burst into flame as members of the house of burgesses, America's first legislative assembly, stoutly maintained the colonists' rights.

Such patriots and great Virginians as George Washington, Patrick Henry, Edward Pendleton and Thomas Jefferson were familiar figures along the streets. It was in the capitol building in Williamsburg that Patrick Henry made his famous "Caesar-Brutus" speech, shouting, according to tradition, "If this be treason, make the most of it," in protest to the stamp act.

Heavy Coat on Hot Day  
Trips Smuggling Ring

LONDON.—A man who made the unseasonal garb of Capt. Maurice Coppin, master of the Belgian ship ported to have given Scotland Yard information that may break a huge international currency smuggling ring.

Police became suspicious of the unseasonal garb Capt. Maurice Coppin, master of the Belgian ship Saphir, and questioned him. He was carrying a bullock belt and a briefcase containing \$158,000 in gold bullion, gold coins, currency and industrial diamonds.

Coppin was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment after his attorney promised he would give Scotland Yard the names and addresses of members of the ring which allegedly operated in Paris, Brussels, Cairo and Marseille.

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## Newest Super-Rocket Gives Science Idea Of Space-Ship Needs

LAS CRUCES, N. M.—Although America's newest super-rocket soared only 33 miles into the air, it was said to have given science a picture of what the first interplanetary space-ships may be like.

On the basis of the performance of the Viking II in a test flight when 95 per cent of all its intricate gadgets worked, the moon express of tomorrow may look like a pencil: thin, round and as high as a modern office building.

Strangest of all, it probably will not have any fins.

The 46 foot long Viking II, largest yet produced in the United States, was controlled in flight by changing the direction of the exhaust from its rocket tubes. It is equipped with fins, but they were not used.

"We eventually hope to eliminate fins entirely," says Dr. Homer E. Newell, rocket expert in the naval research laboratory at White Sands proving ground near here. "The drag on fins at extremely high speeds is tremendous."

The Viking II reached a speed of 1,775 miles an hour and an altitude of 33 miles. Its predecessor's top speed was 2,250 m.p.h. and it soared to a height of 50 miles. However, Newell termed the latest flight a success.

"We were after stability and control this time," he said. "Next time we will concentrate on engine performance."

In the test the fuel of liquid oxygen and alcohol burned for only 49 seconds, although there was enough for 65 seconds. The first Viking burned through 53 seconds of a similar load. Failure of the rockets to consume their full fuel loads has not been explained.

The navy plans to fire a total of 10 Vikings in its current research program, designed to study cosmic rays and the upper atmosphere as well as to improve guided missiles and to aid in the construction of future aircraft.

## Holdup

Victims 'Touch' Robbers

CHICAGO.—The next time these particular holdup men choose their victims, they'll probably inquire if the objects of the robbery are salesmen—for two Minneapolis salesmen said here they talked \$1.50 out of three would-be robbers who held them up and abducted them.

The gunman accosted Stephen Dineen, 28, and Marshall Morrisette, 32, and forced them to the curb as they drove through the north side of Chicago.

Morrisette said he managed to slip \$750 from his pocket and stuff it behind the seat cushion in his car.

"They searched us down to the skin, but we didn't have a dime," Morrisette said. "I told them we had lost all our cash in a gambling joint."

As the gunman searched them, the two salesmen talked fast, "selling them" on the idea that they were broke. Finally, as the robbers were about to let them go, Morrisette asked for carfare. One gunman gave them 50c and another handed them a dollar, saying "Take a cab."

Back at his own car, Morrisette found the \$750 safe.

## NEW YEAR WILL SEE GREATER PROSPERITY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Secretary of Commerce Charles W. Sawyer said today that the nation will enter the New Year completely "recovered" from the recession which had business pessimists shaking their heads a few months ago.

"The new year will start with a volume of business activity not materially different from the high rate which prevailed in the second half of 1949," Sawyer said in a year-end report on the general economic picture.

He said 1949 was a year of "high level" economic activity in which industrial production and construction came back strong after slumping dangerously during the first six months.

Sawyer said the gross national product—the value of all goods and services produced—amounted to an estimated \$259,000,000,000, only about 2 per cent less than 1948's all-time high. The major change was in business inventories, which declined moderately this year.

Total demand for the nation's output was higher in 1949 than in 1948, in both a dollar and a real sense.

"Purchases of more automobiles, personal services, houses and Government goods and services more than offset reduced demand for clothing, producers' plant equipment, and privately financed net exports of goods and services," Sawyer said.

Mrs. Dan Lunsford and girls spent Sunday visiting in Gause.

## HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Seven new patients were reported at Newton Memorial Hospital Thursday. They are Robert H. Glenn, Truman Pembroke, Emil J. Horelica, Arthur Longmire, Mrs. Mary McGoldrick, Joyce Faye Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reed of Rogers, Mrs. Robert M. Clark who has been a patient has returned to her home.

Mrs. Betty Lewis of Buckholts was a visitor in Cameron recently.

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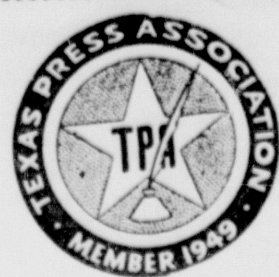
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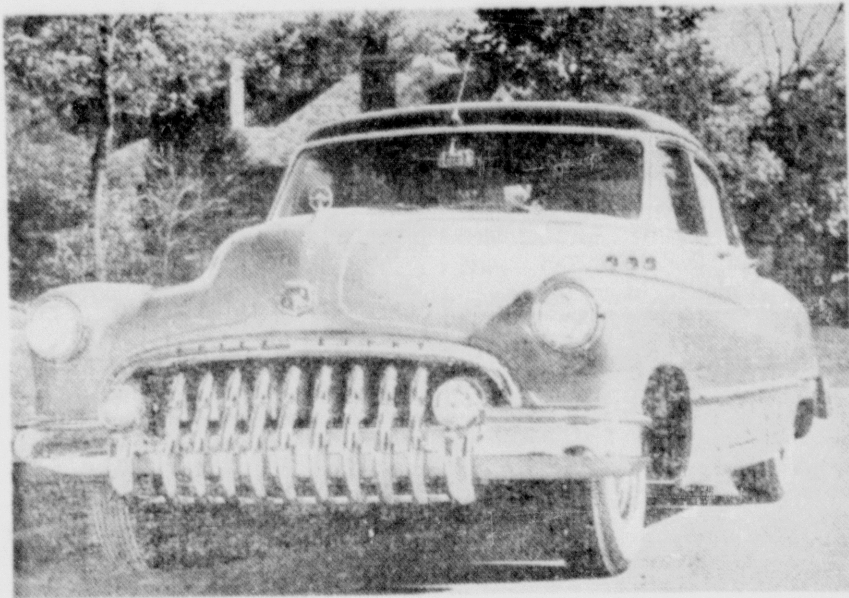
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### Buick from Stem to Stern



This sturdy looking bumper and grille combination graces the front end of the complete line of 1950 Buick automobiles. Other distinctive features are the full taper-through front fenders, wrap-around bumpers with bomb-shaped bumper guards housing the parking light and direction signal indicators in front, and back-up lights in the rear, and identifying name plates on the front fenders. The cars have completely new bodies, and a new and more powerful engine is under the graceful hood of the new Super sedan shown above.

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#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

OF THE ESTATE OF  
MRS. JOE ANNA GAMBILL,  
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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Mrs. Joe Anna Gambill, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 12th day of December, 1949. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is 204 E. 23rd Street, Cameron, Milam County, Texas.

R. G. CHAPMAN

Independent Executor of the estate of Mrs. Joe Anna Gambill, Deceased. 37-4tp

LOST OR STRAYED about two months ago, one small white faced hereford cow, weighing about 650 or 700 pounds. Has tipped horns with V on left side and 7-0 on left shoulder. Has double underbit in each ear with one ear split. Phone 376 or see me at my home. Mary Belle Batte. 37-1tc

#### COLLECTION DATES FOR STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

I will be in the following towns to collect taxes and issue poll tax on the dates listed.

Buckholts, Texas on Saturday, January 7th, 1950.

Davilla, Texas on Wednesday, January 11th, 1950.

Thornedale, Texas on Saturday, January 14th, 1950.

Gause, Texas on Wednesday, January 18th, 1950.

Rockdale, Texas on Saturday, January 21, 1950.

I call your attention to the fact that you will have to have a poll tax in order to vote in the coming elections which come up in 1950, as the recent amendment which we voted on to abolish the poll tax was defeated.

Also, I remind you that there will be no discount on current tax after January 1st, 1950.

Respectfully,  
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December 29, 1949

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## Sea Temperature May Affect Food Supplies of Man

LA JOLLA, CALIF.—Ocean temperatures are the present concern of oceanographers. The Scripps Institution of Oceanography here has begun a project of plotting undersea temperatures that may continue for generations.

The ocean is no longer simply of academic interest to zoologists and biologists. Lately it has become interesting as a future source of chemicals and food substances.

Oceanographers have done a lot of charting and studying of static features of oceans, such as depth, terrain and major currents. But they admit the vast lack of knowledge of detailed matters—for instance, the interaction of ocean waters and the air above and periodic changes in temperature at different locations, depths and times. These are probably critical factors in phenomena, such as marine life.

#### Large Scale Project

To fill in the extensive void in knowledge about ocean temperatures, the Scripps Institution, a branch of the University of California at Los Angeles, has expanded rudimentary wartime observations made for the Navy into a large-scale project of plotting heat variations throughout the Pacific and Indian Oceans.

Since temperatures not only at the surface but at every level are significant, since the average depth of the earth's oceans is estimated at three miles, and since temperatures may change from hour to hour, very many observations might be taken at a single point. Since the area covered in the Scripps survey is about 100,000,000 square miles, it will be a long time before even superficial observations can be completed.

#### The Bathythermograph

Complicating the task, is the fact that scientific temperature readings cannot be taken just by dunking a thermometer on a string.

Oceanographers use a bathythermograph, a brass cylinder about a yard long weighing about thirty pounds. It contains apparatus that records temperature, as the cylinder is lowered on a cable, by a stylus scratch across a smoked-glass plate one inch by two inches.

In the laboratory these plates, marked with the location, date and time, are photographed through a grid that measures the scratch. The result is a graph of the temperature variation at different depths at one point.

The areas on which studies are concentrated at present are in the Aleutian Island region, the stretch between California and Hawaii, and between Hawaii and the South Pacific Islands—shipping and fishing zones where temperature data may help analysis of weather and marine life.

### Ancient Auto Resembles A Dragon More Than Car

LAVANHAN, ENGLAND—A few hours after Alec Hodsdon advertised his 1901 steam-driven motor car for sale at 150 pounds (\$420) a buyer telephoned that he would like to send him a check right away. But Hodsdon hesitated.

He wanted to see the buyer first to make sure he really respected and understood antiques, and besides, there was a little explaining to do.

"It has eight major knobs to push or pull, and five assorted water and pressure pumps, once you light her up with a match," he said. "It's fair to say that driving it is a whole time job. The time is never passed in boredom or preoccupation with scenery."

"Another snag is that when you light the engine, flames about a foot high, blue and intensely hot, leap from a kind of huge circular brazier. In a few minutes the heat is so great that it scorches you."

"Once lighted, there can be no hanging about. You have decided to go for a spin and you are committed to it."

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### 'Secret Witness' System Now Used In War on Crime

CHICAGO.—A new secret weapon is now being used in the war against crime.

This is a "secret - witness" plan which gives men and women who know something about a crime a chance to get their information in the hands of authorities and collect a reward without revealing their names.

The idea has begun to spread rapidly. It has been put to work against killers in Chicago and Los Angeles, against murderers and ballot burglars in Kansas City, against gunmen in Detroit, and against hooded mobsters in Birmingham, Ala.

Sponsors — newspapers in some places, groups of citizens in others — have offered a total of \$438,000 in rewards. None of the money has been passed out yet. An informant can't collect until the case ends in conviction.

The chief result, so far, has been information. Hundreds of letters have been received. Many of them offered information that looked helpful. In Chicago, for instance, 226 letters came in during the first two months. Forty-one contained what seemed to be good leads. Two of the Chicago cases have resulted in arrests.

The Chicago-Sun-Times conceived the secret witness plan as a community service. It was sparked by an FBI report that Chicago had 326 murders in 1948, highest number for any city in the U. S. The starting switch was pulled last May 9.

The newspaper ran a series of reviews of unsolved murders—55 in all. It followed up with a full page list of 476 persons who had been slain since 1938 and whose slayers never had been brought to book.

The Sun-Times offered to pay \$5,000 for information resulting in the conviction of the guilty in each of the first 20 cases solved. Deadline for rewards is July 5, 1950. (The total was increased to \$10,000 by \$5,000 rewards posted in the slaying of two Gary, Ind., women.)

### H. C. Blankenship Is Found Dead At Home Near Corinth

H. C. Blankenship, 77, was found dead at his farm home in the Corinth Community, early Friday morning by a neighbor.

Mr. Blankenship had been dead since around midnight. Justice of Peace Will Kuzel, held an inquest and rendered a verdict of death from natural causes. Mr. Blankenship was on the Horelica farm Thursday assisting with fence building. He had complained of feeling bad and when he did not appear Friday, Mrs. Horelica went to the Blankenship home nearby and found him dead.

The body was at the Marek-Burns Funeral Home where arrangements were pending. One brother, Keith Blankenship, survives and lives in Cameron.

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## H. C. BLANKENSHIP BURIED AT CORINTH

Funeral services for H. C. Blankenship of Corinth, were held at the Marek-Burns Funeral Chapel in Cameron on Sunday, December 25, at 3:30 p. m. by Rev. H. T. Coulter.

Interment was made in the cemetery at Corinth with the Marek-Burns Funeral Home directing arrangements.

Mr. Blankenship, 77, was found dead at his home on the morning of December 22 near Corinth where he lived alone. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are the following sons and daughters: C. K. Blankenship of Cameron, Hubert Blankenship, Ellis Blankenship, and Raleigh Blankenship of Santa Barbara, California, Mrs. Roy Johnson also of Santa Barbara; Mrs. R. C. Hopkins, Huntsville, Mrs. Stella Wiley of Houston and Mrs. Don Jones of Seattle, Washington. One brother, J. F. Blankenship of Madisonville. Ten grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren also survive.

Pall bearers were Hallie Loftin, Elmar Horstman, C. S. Raney, John Ruzicka, Glover Williams and Buford McMillion.

### Carolyn Knipp Given Birthday Party On Thursday, Dec. 22

Carolyn Knipp celebrated her ninth birthday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Knipp, December 22.

Festive holiday decorations were used and miniature Santa Claus were used as plate favors. The beautifully decorated birthday cake was the center of attraction.

For the happy occasion the following little guests were present; Ann and Laura Swift, Anita Archer, Kay Camp, Bobbie June Edmonds, Cindy Curtis and Enoria Glyn Rogers. A number of games were enjoyed by the group.

Delicious hot chocolate and cake was served by Mrs. Knipp.



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## Nat B. Wofford and Mrs. Ruth Collier To Be Married Dec. 24

Nat B. Wofford of Cameron and Mrs. Ruth LaMond Collier of Huntsville, will be married in Dallas at 5 p. m. Saturday, December 24.

The ceremony will be performed by Dr. Steel, pastor, at University Methodist Church in Dallas, and then will follow a dinner party and reception at the Dallas Athletic Club.

They plan to leave on Sunday for South Texas and a trip into Old Mexico for their honeymoon. When they return they will be at home at 107 West Downs Street in Temple.

Mrs. Collier formerly lived in Waco but for some time has been making her home in Huntsville with her uncle, Dr. Ross Jones.

Mr. Wofford, widely known young Texan, is a native of Cameron. At present he is with the Texas Employment Commission, holding a very responsible place with that branch of the government service.

Friends in Cameron, Dallas and Huntsville, were happy to have the announcement of the wedding that is to link these prominent Texas families. In Cameron where Mr. Wofford was reared, friends were extending congratulations with more than the usual of interest in the culmination of this romance in happy Yule wedding ceremonies on Christmas eve in Dallas.

## Cameron Boy Traps Fox In Three Blocks Of The Court House

A 25 pound grey fox was trapped within 3 blocks of the court house last night.

Charles Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Crawford, set a trap at the home on East 2nd street Thursday night and early Friday found he had caught a fox. The fox is on display at the Tubby Price grocery.

Printing is a home industry.

## 4 YEAR OLD BOY WAS WASTING AWAY

My son Bobby Jean, 4, had been suffering from vomiting spells. Each attack sent him to bed with fever for 2 or 3 days. We tried all kinds of medicines but he continued to lose weight and grow pale and weak. We started giving him HADACOL and since the first dose he has never had a vomiting spell or fever. He gained 4 pounds in 2 weeks and is full of pep and energy. It is really remarkable how HADACOL has helped my child.



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## The Cameron Herald December 29, 1949

## Agencies Find Problems Beset Big-Pay Group

NEW YORK—It might be a trifle difficult to work up a great wave of sympathy for the \$25,000-a-year man, but a little examination of the subject will disclose that this salary-category doesn't mean the man making that much money annually is living in a bed of roses.

According to agencies specializing in these ultra starched-collar jobs, the holders thereof have their problems, chief of which is what to do to improve themselves and is there any chance for advancement. But, these agencies say, if the \$25,000-a-year man works hard, and uses his brain, he may get ahead.

### More Big Jobs

"There's no question that more big jobs are available today than at any time in at least 10 years," says W. Gail Camp, head of one of the upper bracket agencies.

"Scores of good openings have gone begging for want of the right man," says Walter A. Lowen, director of another agency.

These and other experts in the field cite recent examples of \$25,000 a year men who made good.

The merchandise manager of a large electrical company got a \$40,000 job with a machine manufacturer as vice-president in charge of sales. After several reorganizations, he was made president.

A veteran salesman went to a pharmaceutical company as salesman, was promoted to sales manager of a subsidiary and then became president of a new branch.

Another man left his job as sales manager of an electrical appliance firm to become sales manager of a chemical company. In three years, he climbed to the presidency at \$60,000 a year.

### Situation Not Black

You see, the situation is not black.

Camp, Lowen and other agency heads report they have on hand numerous applications from companies to fill jobs paying more than \$25,000 a year. They're looking for sales managers, general managers, executive vice-presidents and other top flight brass in such fields as radio, television, house furnishings, air conditioning and electric and drug manufacturing.

Camp, president of Executive Service corp., points out that with a return to the buyers' market many firms face competition for a long time, and a lot of related problems.

"Many have cut their staffs," he says. "Everybody is forced to work harder. A lot of top management near retirement age does not want to work that much harder. Many presidents are seeking retirement."

"Realignment is going on. Practically every company is either openly or quietly looking for one or more top executives. But, in almost every case, they are holding out for the exceptional man."

### British Magazine Says Clothes Could End War

LONDON.—A British men's wear journal has come up with an idea for bringing an end to the dissension between the nations of East and West. It has to do with clothes and their styling.

For instance, the article in which the suggestion was carried, declared that a zoot suit for Stalin and a drape shape for V. M. Molotov might be the very thing to end the cold war.

Here is the reasoning on the subject:

"The Russian sense of humor would be restored," said the magazine Tailor and Cutter. "The Soviet would not take itself so seriously."

The magazine added that the present garb of Soviet leaders was 25 years out of date.

"The Communists," it declared, "are far too conservative."

It published pictures of four of the top Russian leaders. All wore suits with two-button jackets which the magazine said were last stylish in Britain in the early 1920's.

### This Society Makes Good On Claims for Members

NEW YORK.—The Brooklyn Benevolent Uplift society doesn't do things by halves. Greatly irked when two of its members were accused of robbery, the society went right to work to prove their innocence in the most complete way they knew how—they nabbed the real culprits.

Two BUS members in good standing were arrested after they were tentatively identified as the pair who held up two cab drivers Saturday and robbed them of \$20 each. They protested they were innocent. So did the society.

When that didn't do any good, leaders of the society left the police station to "see what we can do." Two hours later a dozen husky members strode back into the station with two men in tow.

Police said the two prisoners were promptly identified by the cab drivers and later admitted the robberies.

## College Professor Adopts Carnival-Barking Vocation

TOPEKA, KANS.—Maybe he's looking for a new way to give classroom lectures, one that'll hold the student's attention. Whatever the reason, a college professor is now a sideshow barker and is delighted with the occupation.

He is Professor Alonzo Hauser, formerly head of the Macalester college art department at St. Paul, Minn. He broke in with a surrealist art show during its run at the Kansas free fair.

Hauser says he became a barker by accident.

An old friend of Gypsy Rose Lee—he once carved a portrait of her—Hauser went to see her revue when it hit Minneapolis on the state fair circuit.

There he met Gypsy's artist husband, Julio de Diego.

De Diego, making the circuit with Gypsy, had his own show, a gallery of surrealist dreamlike pictures using live models.

But with some painting and a couple of one man exhibitions awaiting him, de Diego wanted to return to his home in New York.

He asked Hauser to take over as barker and manager for the show's remaining two months on the road. It travels with the Royal American shows, a carnival of revues, side shows and rides. As a result, Hauser is finding he has lots of help in learning his new role.

"I wasn't too sure what these carnival people were like when I left Minneapolis with them," Hauser admits. "Now I am finding most of them are really fine persons. They drop around, give me tips about my job and help in various other ways."

"Some are teaching me to talk from my stomach instead of my throat. That's so my voice won't give out during the 10 hour day I work."

"They help me with my 'bally' (sales talk) and give me pointers on 'turning a tip' (greeting a crowd in to see the show)."

Hauser is married and the father of two children. He says his wife finds it peculiar that his switch from college to side show should draw any attention.

## FARM PROGRAM WILL ASSURE PROSPERITY

Looking to the future—to 1950 there can be little fear for those who want to forge ahead.

American production, natural income and profits reached a new high in the United States in 1949.

Here is our county we look chiefly to agriculture. If no other factor were present the government farm program would be enough to insure continued good income for the establishment that depends upon the soil.

The American farmer won a major victory. He made certain that Congress would continue to protect agriculture and make it as near as possible a sharing phase of the nation's productive life.

As we approach 1950 the business outlook was rosy and there was every indication that prosperity would continue.

There are desirable tendencies in the lowered costs of living. It looked on the eve of 1950 that commodity prices might come down appreciably but nothing like a precipitate to bring on a crash. Prices are too high. In the readjustment farm prices will decline but there will not be any crash in agriculture.

On the whole the picture was promising. Plans can be made and progress made with expansion on what appears a certain and stable national economic structure.

### MRS. LAURA WALLACE—

## Mrs. Laura Wallace Died In Long Beach, California Thursday

Mrs. Laura Hefley Wallace died at her home in Long Beach, California, Thursday night, December 22 it was announced here early Friday by Judge and Mrs. Dan Tyson.

News of her death was telegraphed by Ralph Wallace, son of the deceased to Mrs. Tyson early Friday.

Mr. Wallace, before her marriage

was Miss Laura Hefley, daughter of the pioneer William V. Hefley who settled near Cameron in the early days. Mrs. Wallace was the widow of the late D. D. Wallace, pioneer member of the Cameron bar who practiced law here many years ago, before moving to California.

Mrs. Wallace was a brother of J. S. Hefley, father of Mrs. Dan Tyson and Miss Willie Hefley, and to the late John M., J. D., William T., and L. J. Hefley, all pioneers here.

Mrs. Wallace was an aunt of the late H. M. Hefley, former President of First National Bank, whose widow, Mrs. Nell Hefley and their daughter Mrs. Bill McIntosh, are among the

immediate survivors who now live in Cameron.

Mrs. Wallace was the last survivor of the pioneer family of children of the late William V. Hefley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladis Marek and Lloyd Stoeber attended the singing of "The Messiah" at the Methodist church in Georgetown last Sunday night. Three Cameron young people participated in the program. They were Susan Rosson, Margaret Horstmann and Ladis Marek Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Burnett of Houston were week end guests of Mrs. R. K. Anderson.

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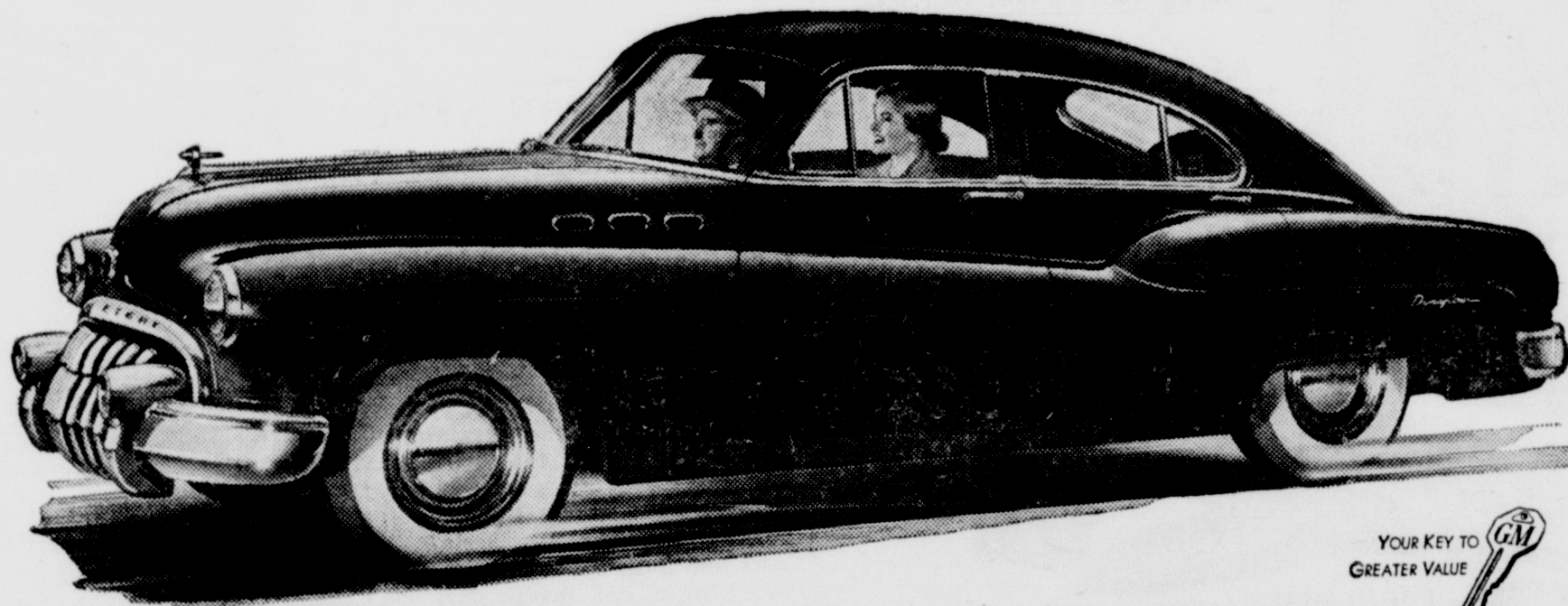
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# Personal Mention

Records indicate that about 30 per cent of the drug addicts in this country are women and that the art of the pick-pocket, once almost exclusively a man's art, is now monopolized by women.

Judge and Mrs. Ed Gunn of Cameron and their grandson, Jimmy Moll of Lubbock were Holiday guests in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Leo Moll and family in Beaumont. Other guests in the Leo Moll home were the parents of Mr. Moll, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moll of Denver Colorado.

Miss Genevieve Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lehman Wilson of Cameron has been named one of the most beautiful girls in the University of Texas by John Derek, Hollywood film star.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dent of Harlingen spent the Christmas holidays visiting Mrs. Dent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tindall and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hearne and son and daughter of Bryan are spending the holidays visiting Mrs. Hearne's mother, Mrs. Minnie McFarland and other relatives.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Minnie McFarland were her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hearne of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bush of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Arnold and girls of Camp Hood.

Judge John Watson spent the holidays in Dallas visiting his children, John Watson and family and Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Kilgore and family. Bassett Watson of Waco was a recent guest of his father, Judge John Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Foster and two sons and daughter have returned to their home at Wilson after spending the holidays here with relatives and friends. The Fosters are former residents of Cameron and have many friends here who are always glad to welcome them on their return visits.

Mrs. Clyde Williams of Gause transacted business here one day this week.

Will McFarland of Florence spent several days in Cameron the past week visiting relatives.

Alfred Price Jr., in the U. S. Navy and stationed at Memphis, Tenn., is here to spend the holidays with his parents and other relatives and friends.

Miss Vera Fisher, County Treasurer is ill and in St. Edwards Hospital for treatment.

It would take 125 coats of average outside house paint to make a layer one-quarter of an inch thick.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Beaver have returned to their home in Laramie, Wyoming after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Crawford, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Canady joined by their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stinson Worley of Grand Prairie spent the holidays in Tulsa, Oklahoma visiting Mrs. Canady's sister, Mrs. Clear.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black, Mrs. C. W. Flippo and small son and Mrs. Ruth Suddeth of Ft. Worth spent a few hours in the Truman Pembroke home the past Wednesday and visited Truman in the Newton Memorial Hospital.

The average healthy adult has from 9 to 12 pints of blood and can safely lose from three to four pints.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jistel and family of Cameron attended the funeral of Mrs. Jistel's sister, Mrs. Fred Rabel at Wimmer Thursday.

The many friends of Truman pembroke will be glad to know he is much improved after being very ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Fank Ermis of Austin is spending the Christmas holidays in Cameron with his daughter, Mrs. Frances Michna and other relatives.

Miss Vera Ruth Turner, a student at Mary Hardin Baylor is spending the holidays in Cameron visiting her parents and friends.

## Science

### Big Things, Small Measure

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SEOUL, KOREA.—An upsurge of spirits came to this republic recently with the arrival of a gigantic sea turtle—possibly the largest ever caught.

The turtle, getting into the spirit of things, dined three crocks of wine offered it by fishermen who snared it off the south tip of Korea.

"It's an omen," solemnly declared President Syngman Rhee. "The turtle is our symbol of longevity and prosperity. It means prosperity for the nation."

The turtle was described as being six or seven feet long and was estimated to be 1,000 years old.

President Rhee ordered it brought to the Seoul zoo and radioed the Korean embassy in Washington on the care and feeding of turtles.

The President wasn't kidding about the prosperity and longevity omen. It goes far back into Korean folklore and also is bolstered by history.

In 1592 the famous Korean admiral Yi Sun Sin devised a turtle-shaped ship credited with being the world's first armor-clad vessel.

With a small fleet of these strange craft, he thwarted an invasion by the Japanese dictator Hideyoshi, ramming and sinking the enemy ships with the great turtle-headed prow while archers fired flaming arrows from beneath the armored carapace. It was 300 years before Japanese seapower recovered.

Rhee did not mention this, but every Korean knows the story and will get the significance.

## Car Owner Has Long Run Of Strange Misfortunes

NEW YORK.—Ed Roberts needed a change of luck after these things happened:

1. Vandals stripped the mirrors, hubcaps and spotlights from his convertible.
2. A pickpocket lifted \$500 from him in a subway.
3. His brother got a ticket for speeding in Buffalo, N. Y., had a flat tire and smashed his fender.
4. His sister was caught in a jammed elevator and rescued by firemen.
5. Driving her home from the hospital, after a serious illness, Robert's convertible top wouldn't function when a sudden rainstorm broke.

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## MILANO NEWS

A community Christmas tree was sponsored by the churches and American Legion of Milano Thursday night with a large crowd present. Mrs. H. H. Pruett lead in the singing of Christmas songs. The Baptist pastor made a wonderful talk on the birth of Christ and gifts were distributed. Santa passed gifts, apples, oranges and candy and it was a very happy occasion. Mrs. Willard Peirce rendered several nice piano selections.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Vanover of Houston spent the holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Howes.

Mrs. Al Johnson and son Allen spent the holidays visiting her father R. E. Threauett. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Eastwood of Luling will join them for a Christmas visit.

Mrs. Dan Robinson spent the Christmas holidays with her daughters Mrs. Arthur Moore and Mrs. Howard Manley in Temple.

Marie Russell who is attending school in Austin spent the holidays with her parents here.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Westbrook were

their children Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ball of North Gulch, Mr. and Mrs. James Brewer and children of Waco and E. C. Westbrook, Jr., of Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Sloan left Saturday to spend Christmas with his son and family at Somerville.

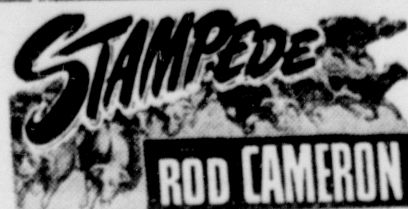
The home coming at the school Friday night was a big event.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Braun, Jr. and children of Dallas were holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Braun, Sr.

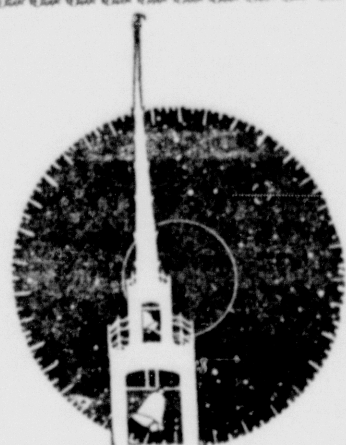
Mrs. Ora Timmons left the past Tuesday for Louisiana to spend Christmas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pruett visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Pruett and family in Houston Christmas.

Mrs. Maude Martin has accepted a position with the San Marcos Schools.



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January 1 and 2



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FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

To wish for you all the happiness the Season affords and to express my deep appreciation for the privilege of serving the people, is a pleasure that brings me no end of satisfaction at this time.

I trust that you may have Joys and Happiness in abundance and in the New Year every good thing you so much deserve.

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COUNTY JUDGE MILAM COUNTY

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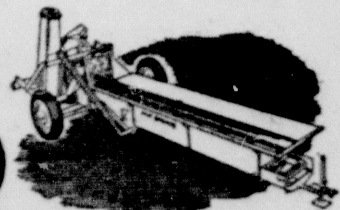
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

## A Tonic For The Missus

The missus came marching in with a new hat yesterday. She was as happy as a circus poster.

I've learned one thing about the hats she buys. A hat is a tonic to her. If she's feeling blue, nothing gives her a lift like a new hat. Now, I could trade in my old grey fedora without raising my blood pressure a notch. But I'll admit that more than once I've bought a new briar pipe I didn't need—just because life was getting a little bit monotonous.

With Buck Howell it's something else again. When Buck is feeling

low, he gets over it by blowing on a broken-down clarinet he hasn't mastered in twenty years.

From where I sit, different people are always going to respond to different things in different ways. So let's keep a friendly understanding of what other folks get out of a new hat, an old clarinet, a chocolate soda or a temperate glass of sparkling beer or ale now and then.

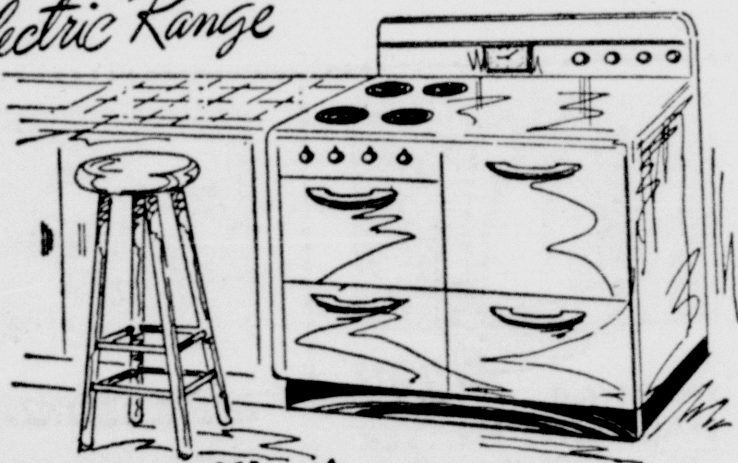
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**DU PONT PAINTS**



Nat B. Wofford and Mrs. Ruth Collier To Be Married Dec. 24

Nat B. Wofford of Cameron and Mrs. Ruth LaMond Collier of Huntsville, will be married in Dallas at 5 p. m. Saturday, December 24.

The ceremony will be performed by Dr. Steel, pastor, at University Methodist Church in Dallas, and then will follow a dinner party and reception at the Dallas Athletic Club.

They plan to leave on Sunday for South Texas and a trip into Old Mexico for their honeymoon. When they return they will be at home at 107 West Downs Street in Temple.

Mrs. Collier formerly lived in Waco but for some time has been making her home in Huntsville with her uncle, Dr. Ross Jones.

Mr. Wofford, widely known young Texan, is a native of Cameron. At present he is with the Texas Employment Commission, holding a very responsible place with that branch of the government service.

Friends in Cameron, Dallas and Huntsville, were happy to have the announcement of the wedding that is to link these prominent Texas families. In Cameron where Mr. Wofford was reared, friends were extending congratulations with more than the usual of interest in the culmination of this romance in happy Yule wedding ceremonies on Christmas eve in Dallas.

Cameron Boy Traps Fox In Three Blocks Of The Court House

A 25 pound grey fox was trapped within 3 blocks of the court house last night.

Charles Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Crawford, set a trap at the home on East 2nd street Thursday night and early Friday found he had caught a fox. The fox is on display at the Tubby Price grocery.

Printing is a home industry.

4 YEAR OLD BOY WAS WASTING AWAY

My son Bobby Jean, 4, had been suffering from vomiting spells. Each attack sent him to bed with fever for 2 or 3 days. We tried all kinds of medicines but he continued to lose weight and grow pale and weak. We started giving him HADACOL and since the first dose he has never had a vomiting spell or fever. He gained 4 pounds in 2 weeks and is full of pep and energy. It is really remarkable how HADACOL has helped my child.

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Agencies Find Problems Beset Big-Pay Group

NEW YORK—It might be a trifle difficult to work up a great wave of sympathy for the \$25,000-a-year man, but a little examination of the subject will disclose that this salary-category doesn't mean the man making that much money annually is living in a bed of roses.

According to agencies specializing in these ultra starched-collar jobs, the holders thereof have their problems, chief of which is what to do to improve themselves and is there any chance for advancement. But, these agencies say, if the \$25,000-a-year man works hard, and uses his brain, he may get ahead.

More Big Jobs

"There's no question that more big jobs are available today than at any time in at least 10 years," says W. Gail Camp, head of one of the upper bracket agencies.

"Scores of good openings have gone begging for want of the right man," says Walter A. Lowen, director of another agency.

These and other experts in the field cite recent examples of \$25,000 a year men who made good.

The merchandise manager of a large electrical company got a \$40,000 job with a machine manufacturer as vice-president in charge of sales. After several reorganizations, he was made president.

A veteran salesman went to a pharmaceutical company as salesman, was promoted to sales manager of a subsidiary and then became president of a new branch.

Another man left his job as sales manager of an electrical appliance firm to become sales manager of a chemical company. In three years, he climbed to the presidency at \$60,000 a year.

Situation Not Black

You see, the situation is not black.

Camp, Lowen and other agency heads report they have on hand numerous applications from companies to fill jobs paying more than \$25,000 a year. They're looking for sales managers, general managers, executive vice-presidents and other top flight brass in such fields as radio, television, house furnishings, air conditioning and electric and drug manufacturing.

Camp, president of Executive Service corp., points out that with a return to the buyers' market many firms face competition for a long time, and a lot of related problems.

"Many have cut their staffs," he says. "Everybody is forced to work harder. A lot of top management near retirement age does not want to work that much harder. Many presidents are seeking retirement."

"Realignment is going on. Practically every company is either openly or quietly looking for one or more top executives. But, in almost every case, they are holding out for the exceptional man."

British Magazine Says Clothes Could End War

LONDON.—A British men's wear journal has come up with an idea for bringing an end to the dissension between the nations of East and West. It has to do with clothes and their styling.

For instance, the article in which the suggestion was carried, declared that a zoot suit for Stalin and a drape shape for V. M. Molotov might be the very thing to end the cold war.

Here is the reasoning on the subject:

"The Russian sense of humor would be restored," said the magazine Tailor and Cutter. "The Soviet would not take itself so seriously."

The magazine added that the present garb of Soviet leaders was 25 years out of date.

"The Communists," it declared, "are far too conservative."

It published pictures of four of the top Russian leaders. All wore suits with two-button jackets which the magazine said were last stylish in Britain in the early 1920's.

This Society Makes Good On Claims for Members

NEW YORK.—The Brooklyn Benevolent Uplift society doesn't do things by halves. Greatly irked when two of its members were accused of robbery, the society went right to work to prove their innocence in the most complete way they knew how—they nabbed the real culprits.

Two BUS members in good standing were arrested after they were tentatively identified as the pair who held up two cab drivers Saturday and robbed them of \$20 each. They protested they were innocent. So did the society.

When that didn't do any good, leaders of the society left the police station to "see what we can do." Two hours later a dozen husky members strode back into the station with two men in tow.

Police said the two prisoners were promptly identified by the cab drivers and later admitted the robberies.

College Professor Adopts Carnival-Barking Vocation

TOPEKA, KANS.—Maybe he's looking for a new way to give classroom lectures, one that'll hold the student's attention. Whatever the reason, a college professor is now a sideshow barker and is delighted with the occupation.

He is Professor Alonzo Hauser, formerly head of the Macalester college art department at St. Paul, Minn. He broke in with a surrealist art show during its run at the Kansas fair.

Hauser says he became a barker by accident.

An old friend of Gypsy Rose Lee—he once carved a portrait of her—Hauser went to see her revue when it hit Minneapolis on the state fair circuit.

There he met Gypsy's artist husband, Julio de Diego.

De Diego, making the circuit with Gypsy, had his own show, a gallery of surrealist dreamlike pictures using live models.

But with some painting and a couple of one man exhibitions awaiting him, de Diego wanted to return to his home in New York.

He asked Hauser to take over as barker and manager for the show's remaining two months on the road. It travels with the Royal American shows, a carnival of revues, side shows and rides. As a result, Hauser is finding he has lots of help in learning his new role.

"I wasn't too sure what these carnival people were like when I left Minneapolis with them," Hauser admits. "Now I am finding most of them are really fine persons. They drop around, give me tips about my job and help in various other ways."

"Some are teaching me to talk from my stomach instead of my throat. That's so my voice won't give out during the 10 hour day I work."

"They help me with my 'bally' (sales talk) and give me pointers on 'turning a tip' (greeting a crowd in to see the show)."

Hauser is married and the father of two children. He says his wife finds it peculiar that his switch from college to side show should draw any attention.

FARM PROGRAM WILL ASSURE PROSPERITY

Looking to the future—to 1950 there can be little fear for those who want to forge ahead.

American production, natural income and profits reached a new high in the United States in 1949.

Here is our county we look chiefly to agriculture. If no other factor were present the government farm program would be enough to insure continued good income for the establishment that depends upon the soil.

The American farmer won a major victory. He made certain that Congress would continue to protect agriculture and make it as near as possible a sharing phase of the nation's productive life.

As we approach 1950 the business outlook was rosy and there was every indication that prosperity would continue.

There are desirable tendencies in the lowered costs of living. It looked on the eve of 1950 that commodity prices might come down appreciably but nothing like a precipitate to bring on a crash. Prices are too high. In the readjustment farm prices will decline but there will not be any crash in agriculture.

On the whole the picture was promising. Plans can be made and progress made with expansion on what appears a certain and stable national economic structure.

MRS. LAURA WALLACE—Mrs. Laura Wallace Died In Long Beach, California Thursday

Mrs. Laura Hefley Wallace died at her home in Long Beach, California, Thursday night, December 22 it was announced here early Friday by Judge and Mrs. Dan Tyson.

News of her death was telegraphed by Ralph Wallace, son of the deceased to Mrs. Tyson early Friday.

Mr. Wallace, before her marriage

was Miss Laura Hefley, daughter of the pioneer William V. Hefley who settled near Cameron in the early days. Mrs. Wallace was the widow of the late D. D. Wallace, pioneer member of the Cameron bar who practiced law here many years ago, before moving to California.

Mrs. Wallace was a brother of J. S. Hefley, father of Mrs. Dan Tyson and Miss Willie Hefley, and to the late John M., J. D., William T., and L. J. Hefley, all pioneers here.

Mrs. Wallace was an aunt of the late H. M. Hefley, former President of First National Bank, whose widow, Mrs. Nell Hefley and their daughter Mrs. Bill McIntosh, are among the

immediate survivors who now live in Cameron.

Mrs. Wallace was the last survivor of the pioneer family of children of the late William V. Hefley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladis Marek and Lloyd Stoenner attended the singing of "The Messiah" at the Methodist church in Georgetown last Sunday night. Three Cameron young people participated in the program. They were Susan Rosson, Margaret Horstmann and Ladis Marek Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Burnett of Houston were week end guests of Mrs. R. K. Anderson.

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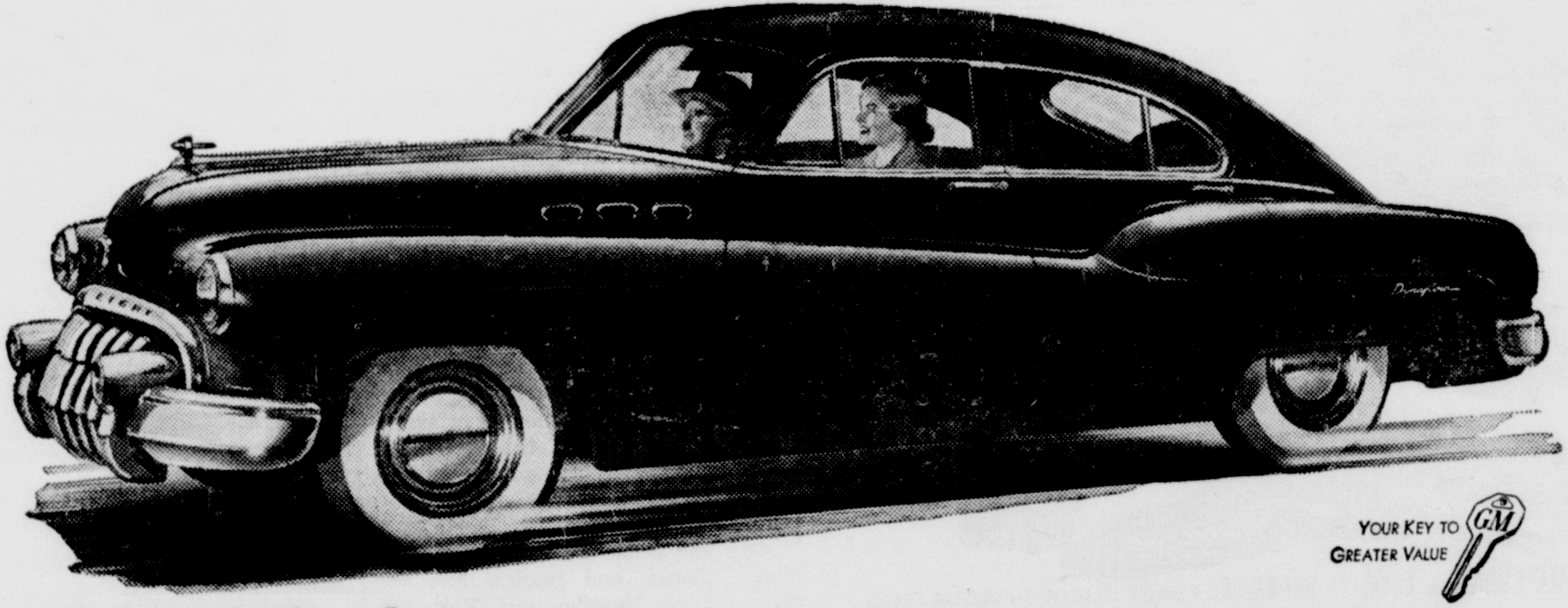
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# Personal Mention

Records indicate that about 30 per cent of the drug addicts in this country are women and that the art of the pick-pocket, once almost exclusively a man's art, is now monopolized by women.

Judge and Mrs. Ed Gunn of Cameron and their grandson, Jimmy Moll of Lubbock were Holiday guests in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Leo Moll and family in Beaumont. Other guests in the Leo Moll home were the parents of Mr. Moll, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moll of Denver Colorado.

Miss Geneve Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lehman Wilson of Cameron has been named one of the most beautiful girls in the University of Texas by John Derek, Hollywood film star.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dent of Harlingen spent the Christmas holidays visiting Mrs. Dent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tindall and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hearne and son and daughter of Bryan are spending the holidays visiting Mrs. Hearne's mother, Mrs. Minnie McFarland and other relatives.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Minnie McFarland were her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hearne of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Bush of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Arnold and girls of Camp Hood.

Judge John Watson spent the holidays in Dallas visiting his children, John Watson and family and Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Kilgore and family. Bassett Watson of Waco was a recent guest of his father, Judge John Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Foster and two sons and daughter have returned to their home at Wilson after spending the holidays here with relatives and friends. The Fosters are former residents of Cameron and have many friends here who are always glad to welcome them on their return visits.

Mrs. Clyde Williams of Gause transacted business here one day this week.

Will McFarland of Florence spent several days in Cameron the past week visiting relatives.

Alfred Price Jr., in the U. S. Navy and stationed at Memphis, Tenn., is here to spend the holidays with his parents and other relatives and friends.

Miss Vera Fisher, County Treasurer is ill and in St. Edwards Hospital for treatment.

It would take 125 coats of average outside house paint to make a layer one-quarter of an inch thick.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Beaver have returned to their home in Laramie, Wyoming after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Crawford, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Canady joined by their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stinson Worley of Grand Prairie spent the holidays in Tulsa, Oklahoma visiting Mrs. Canady's sister, Mrs. Clear.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black, Mrs. C. W. Flippo and small son and Mrs. Ruth Suddeth of Ft. Worth spent a few hours in the Truman Pembroke home the past Wednesday and visited Truman in the Newton Memorial Hospital.

The average healthy adult has from 9 to 12 pints of blood and can safely lose from three to four pints.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jistel and family of Cameron attended the funeral of Mrs. Jistel's sister, Mrs. Fred Rabel at Wimmer Thursday.

The many friends of Truman pembroke will be glad to know he is much improved after being very ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital.

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The turtle, getting into the spirit of things, downed three crocks of wine offered it by fishermen who snared it off the south tip of Korea.

"It's an omen," solemnly declared President Syngman Rhee. "The turtle is our symbol of longevity and prosperity. It means prosperity for the nation."

The turtle was described as being six or seven feet long and was estimated to be 1,000 years old.

President Rhee ordered it brought to the Seoul zoo and radioed the Korean embassy in Washington on the care and feeding of turtles.

The President wasn't kidding about the prosperity and longevity omen. It goes far back into Korean folklore and also is bolstered by history.

In 1592 the famous Korean admiral Yi Sun Sin devised a turtle-shaped ship credited with being the world's first armor-clad vessel.

With a small fleet of these strange craft, he thwarted an invasion by the Japanese dictator Hideyoshi, ramming and sinking the enemy ships with the great turtle-headed prow while archers fired flaming arrows from beneath the armored carapace. It was 300 years before Japanese seapower recovered.

Rhee did not mention this, but every Korean knows the story and will get the significance.

## Car Owner Has Long Run Of Strange Misfortunes

NEW YORK.—Ed Roberts needed a change of luck after these things happened:

1. Vandals stripped the mirrors, hubcaps and spotlights from his convertible.

2. A pickpocket lifted \$500 from him in a subway.

3. His brother got a ticket for speeding in Buffalo, N. Y., had a flat tire and smashed his fender.

4. His sister was caught in a jammed elevator and rescued by firemen.

5. Driving her home from the hospital, after a serious illness, Robert's convertible top wouldn't function when a sudden rainstorm broke.

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## MILANO NEWS

A community Christmas tree was sponsored by the churches and American Legion of Milano Thursday night with a large crowd present. Mrs. H. H. Pruett lead in the singing of Christmas songs. The Baptist pastor made a wonderful talk on the birth of Christ and gifts were distributed.

Santa passed gifts, apples, oranges and candy and it was a very happy occasion. Mrs. Willard Peirce rendered several nice piano selections.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Vanover of Houston spent the holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Howes.

Mrs. Al Johnson and son Allen spent the holidays visiting her father R. E. Threault. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Eastwood of Luling will join them for a Christmas visit.

Mrs. Dan Robinson spent the Christmas holidays with her daughters Mrs. Arthur Moore and Mrs. Howard Manley in Temple.

Marie Russell who is attending school in Austin spent the holidays with her parents here.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Westbrook were

their children: Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ball of North Guleh, Mr. and Mrs. James Brewer and children of Waco and E. C. Westbrook, Jr., of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Sloan left Saturday to spend Christmas with his son and family at Somerville.

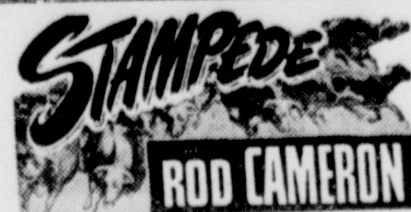
The home coming at the school Friday night was a big event.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Braun, Jr. and children of Dallas were holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Braun, Sr.

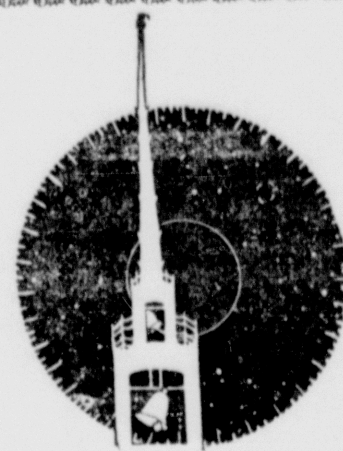
Mrs. Ora Timmons left the past Tuesday for Louisiana to spend Christmas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pruett visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Pruett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Flowers and girls in Houston Christmas.

Mrs. Maude Martin has accepted a position with the San Marcos Schools.



MILAM THEATRE  
SUNDAY AND MONDAY  
January 1 and 2



SEASONS GREETING

TO MY

FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

To wish for you all the happiness the Season affords and to express my deep appreciation for the privilege of serving the people, is a pleasure that brings me no end of satisfaction at this time.

I trust that you may have Joys and Happiness in abundance and in the New Year every good thing you so much deserve.

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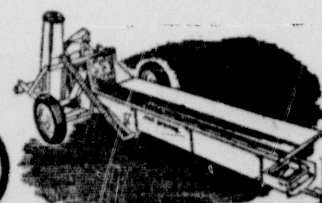
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

## A Tonic For The Missus

The missus came marching in with a new hat yesterday. She was as happy as a circus poster.

I've learned one thing about the hats she buys. A hat is a tonic to her. If she's feeling blue, nothing gives her a lift like a new hat. Now, I could trade in my old grey fedora without raising my blood pressure a notch. But I'll admit that more than once I've bought a new briar pipe I didn't need—just because life was getting a little bit monotonous.

With Buck Howell it's something else again. When Buck is feeling

low, he gets over it by blowing on a broken-down clarinet he hasn't mastered in twenty years.

From where I sit, different people are always going to respond to different things in different ways. So let's keep a friendly understanding of what other folks get out of a new hat, an old clarinet, a chocolate soda or a temperate glass of sparkling beer or ale now and then.

Joe Marsh

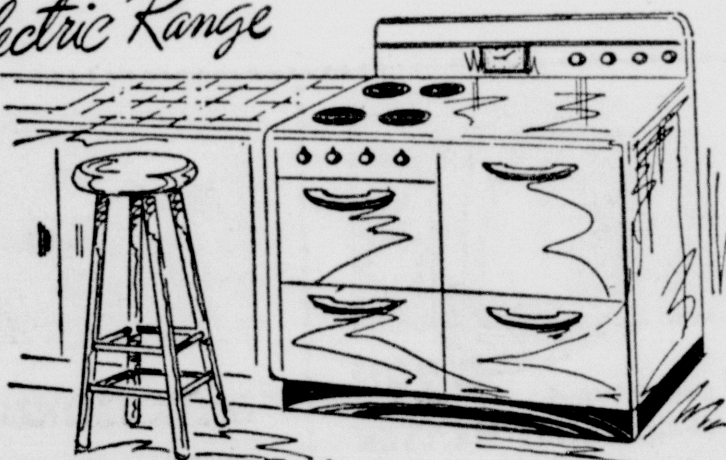
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## Melroy Eixman Is Named On Central Texas Mythical 11

Melroy Eixman, twice all district lineman on the Yoemen football team, has been selected by the Austin newspapers on a central Texas mythical eleven.

Eixman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Eixman and played his last year of eligibility in 1949. He made all district two years at tackle and now has been named one of the tacklers on the all central Texas eleven.

## Littlefield Takes State Class A Title Monday Over Mexia

ABILENE, Dec. 26—Two smashing backs—Tommy Bailes and Frank Gage—and a rocklike defense gave Littlefield a 13-0 victory over Mexia today and the Class A high school football champions.

The Wildcats marched 93 yards for their first touchdown, Gage scoring it from the one yard line early in the second quarter. A few minutes later John Fowler intercepted Garland Cain's pass and Littlefield was on

its way to another tally. Bailes made it on a 25-yard run and then ran over the extra point.

An estimated 11,000 persons watched Littlefield's slashing line hold Mexia's speedy backs—little Bruce Outlaw and Bobby Duke—to a net of 17 yards rushing.

Even the flurry of passes Cain threw in the last half couldn't help the Blackcats from Central Texas very much. And a penalty rubbed out a touchdown for Mexia in its only serious threat of the game. This was late in fourth period.

It was Bailes and Gage that hammered Mexia's line for most of the 285 yards the Wildcats from the high plains of West Texas gained on the ground. Littlefield tried only one pass.

Mexia was no match for Coach Jay Fike's big, burly eleven. And late in the first period, Littlefield started toward a touchdown.

Gage and Bailes carried on all but two of the 21 plays needed for the touchdown. Most of the yardage was picked up in two and three yard smashes through the middle of Mexia's line.

On the first play after the kickoff following the Littlefield score, Fowler snagged Cain's pass on Mexia's 31-yard line. Bailes picked up two yards, then Gage made two, Askew took and carried to the 25-yard line and then Bailes broke away

for the touchdown.

Gage tried to run over the extra point after the first touchdown and was smothered on the goal line.

Mexia drove within Littlefield's 30 yard line on numerous occasions, but twice pass interceptions stopped the threat. Cain's passes were the main reasons in these marches.

On that one big Mexia effort—the one on which the touchdown was rubbed out—the Blackcats had started on their own 33-yard line. From here, he passed to Lawrence Davis for the score. The penalty called was backfield in motion.

Johnny Edwards, Floyd Goff and Jerry Cotter sparked the bruising line play of Littlefield. They repeatedly dumped Mexia backs for big losses.

Giles M. Easley, student at St. John's College in Annapolis, Maryland has arrived in Cameron to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. S. A. Sasley and sister Mrs. Joe B. Anderson and family.

Elizabeth Newton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Newton is ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital for treatment.

The many friends of Mrs. Will Lake will be glad to know she is improved and has returned home after being ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

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## CAMERON HAS LOW OF 26 DEGREES FRIDAY

Christmas holiday weather will be ideal, clear, crisp and cold, and if you are planning a trip away from the old home town you can pretty well depend on this forecast.

Cameron had 26 degree temperature Friday morning. It was 3 degrees colder in Canieron than in Dallas Friday. It was announced by L. W. Smith of the Community Public Service Company that the season's low was recorded and that at 8 p. m. it was 29 degrees.

Heavy frost made the landscape look like snow and the weather was ideal for the pre-Christmas celebrations here.

Freezing temperatures may prevail in this area Friday night but the weather will begin to warm up and by Sunday should be the most pleasant of the entire year.

The coldest weather in Texas was at Dalhart and 5 degrees. It was down to 12 at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tinkel of Austin, parents of Mrs. W. A. Morrison were guests in the Morrison home for the Christmas holidays.

## Discovery of Ancient Chest Spurs Another Treasure Hunt

MANTOLOKING, N. J.—News of the finding of an ancient treasure chest containing 18th century English gold coin and jewelry sent amateur prospectors searching sands along the Atlantic coast recently.

The surf-battered chest, discovered by Joseph Dowling Jr., 12 years old, of Philadelphia, has released clusters of English guineas and half-guineas of 1789, covered over in crude mortar, as well as mortar-encrusted rings, gold buckles and cufflinks.

Police Chief J. Harrison Herbert is firmly convinced the coins represent a pirate hoard and says he is bolstered in the opinion by the fact that an English pirate ship, the Thistle was lost near Manasquan Inlet, near-by, in 1813. The chief also was convinced that the coins were quite legitimate after sending two of them to the Chase national bank in New York for analysis.

Young Dowling, finder of the chest, found it too heavy to handle and called for help from A. S. Bladgen of Easton, Pa., and his son.

They pulled the chest ashore and lifted out its weather-soaked contents. Gold buckles, cuff links, rings and the ancient coins were exposed to the bright sun when the rough substance covering them was chipped away. The three divided the find, and on Sunday evening returned to their homes. A few of the coins were left with local authorities.

Chief Herbert donned rubber boots and joined a crowd of treasure hunters who waded into the ocean. He came ashore later with two bars of metal covered with mortar but without any other prize. Another searcher, Mrs. Elizabeth Earle, was more fortunate. She found a clump of mortar which, when broken up, revealed a dozen rings, which appeared to be gold.

Chief Herbert said the original find had been split three ways. Young Dowling went home with more than ninety coins, buckles and rings. Bladgen and his son also had their pockets stuffed.

## Louisville Library Lends Copies of Famed Paintings

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Reproductions of 60 famous paintings are being loaned to Louisville families by the free public library. Library-card holders may obtain one of the framed paintings and may keep it for two months. When they return it, they may obtain another if one is available.

The reproductions, including works of Van Gogh, Renoir, Picasso and Rousseau, were selected by a committee headed by Dr. Justus Bier of the University of Louisville art department.

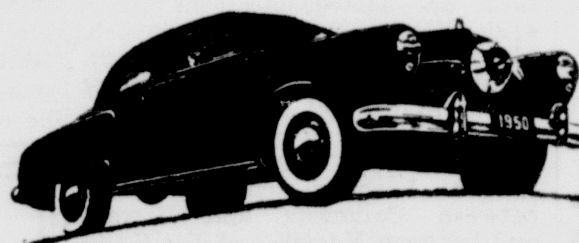
C. R. Graham, librarian, said that as far as he knows the Louisville library will be the first to lend famed paintings. Colleges have lent such pictures in the past, he said.

"The library wishes to stimulate a desire for better paintings among its patrons," he said.

"Also the library patrons will have an opportunity to become acquainted with better paintings and will be able to try out different ones in their homes before making purchases."

The largest picture in the collection is 40 inches square and the smallest 20 by 15 inches.

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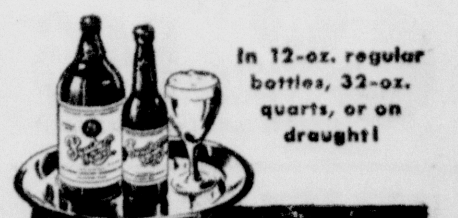
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## JONES PRAIRIE

By MRS. S. S. HICKMAN

Mrs. S. M. Harrell was a gracious hostess to the H. D. Club at her attractive home Tuesday, December 20. The rooms were decorated in the yule theme, including a pretty lighted Christmas tree where gifts for each member following the usual custom of the Club. Mrs. Robert Glenn was in charge of the games. The new president, Mrs. Glenn named her committees for the coming year as follows:

Education and Expansion Chairman, Mrs. S. M. Harrell, Mrs. J. H. Burnett and Mrs. J. H. McNeill. Exhibit Chairman, Miss Ethel McKinney

Mrs. T. B. Stidham and Mrs. O. T. Canady, Program chairman, Mrs. E. B. Yager, Mrs. Bill Thweatt and Miss Roxie Allday. Finance Chairman, Mrs. S. S. Hickman, Mrs. Carlton Crook and Miss Edna McKinney. Mrs. E. B. Yager is the outgoing president. The first meeting of the year will be January 10 with Mrs. J. H. Burnett hostess. The hostess served pecan pie and coffee to approximately 23 members and guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Patzke spent the holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Henderson and Ronald of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Jones and sons, Richard and Jamie joined by Mr. and Mrs. Barmore Jones and

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daughters of Corpus Christi visited Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Jones of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Love of Greenville during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKinney and daughter Jacqueline (Cookie) of Austin spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Arnold and sons, Paul and Van of Brownwood were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hickman. Other guests for Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hughes and son Bill of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Hickman and children, Gilbert, Joe and Ann of Groesbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Glenn of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clapp and family of Carthage spent Christmas Day with their mother, Mrs. I. R. Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Yager had as holiday guests their children, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Marion and son, Charles of Seguin, Ben Yager of Alpine, Billie Yager, student of SWSTC, San Marcos and H. M. Yager, student of John Tarlton College, Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny McGlothlin and daughters, Jeanne Ann and Mary Jane of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stidham and family of Burnet and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Moody and children, Dwight Jr. Tom and Nancy of Cameron were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Stidham.

Mr. and Mrs. Narvie Hickman has as holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClendon of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carroll and daughter, Sharon of College Station, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baskin and children, Walter Wesley, Larry Gale, Michael and Cherry and Mrs. M. P. Carroll of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Atkinson of Port Arthur spent the holidays visiting Mrs. Carlton Crook and other relatives here.

Miss Louise Jamison, librarian of Belton High School is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Jamison.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. John Atkinson of Randolph Field, San Antonio spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. A. Atkinson and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Patzke.

## YARRELLTON NEWS

MRS. LENA RUSSELL

G. W. Blansett who has been ill in St. Edwards Hospital is recuperating in the home of his son, Walter Blansett of Goose Creek.

Elmer T. Gibbs of New York, N. Y. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carol T. Gibbs at Bay City and greeted relatives and friends in Cameron and Yarrellton over the Christmas holidays. He plans to return to his home the first of the new year.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Lillian Barrett were Mrs. Flake Brooks and children, Mrs. Susie Matthews and Susie Dell, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Coleman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horelica and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Griffin and Linda spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nabours and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Griffin during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. John Page of Poteet, Claud Matthews of Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Griffin of Corpus Christi and Shirley Jo Brooks of Freeport.

Visitors in the John Lott home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lott and children of Corpus.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lesikar and family spent Christmas day in the home of his grand-mother in Cameron.

Marshal (Little Mont) Terry of Dallas was greeting friends in Yarrellton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Russell and Bob and Loma visited in Austin Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gallatin returned home with them on Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays. Other guests in the Russell home were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Yancy of Abilene.

Norris Coleman of Corpus Christi visited Bob Russell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bryant visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Schmidt in Temple over the holidays.

A family reunion of the Sebesta family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Sebesta Christmas Day. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Tehas and Vernon of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Sebesta and Sharon of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sebesta of Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sebesta of Killen, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Posival of Dallas, Miss Morene Misenhammer of Fort Worth, Mrs. Dmytro Stefiuk of Cameron, Miss Frances Sebesta and Charles McDermott of Cameron.

Christmas holiday guests in the home of Mrs. J. E. Bunt were her daughter, Mary Boyd and son F. A. Bunt of Houston.

## NEW BUICK—

(Continued from page one)

ed in the Special Series, the Jetback and Tourback designs, which are available in the four-door six passenger sedans. The Jetback, and ultra-streamlined body with a sweep back, is available also on the two-door three passenger coupe and the two-door six passenger sedan.

The Tourback styling, with its spacious trunk and generally roomier dimensions, is used in the four-door models in the Super and Roadmaster Series cars, and the two-door models are Jetback. In addition these series each will have a convertible, a Riviera and an Estate Wagon.

The Special Series is being increased with introduction of deluxe models, the first time in the history of the Special that deluxe models have been offered.

Buick's exclusive Dynaflo transmission continues to be standard equipment on all Roadster models and optional in the Super and Special Series. Nearly 350,000 of these torque converter transmissions have been installed on Buick cars since Dynaflo was introduced in 1948, and during 1949 approximately 70 per cent of all Buicks were equipped

with Dynaflo.

Many refinements have been made on the device which has been credited by engineers with being the outstanding contribution to motoring comfort in the last quarter century.

An outstanding feature of the entire line is adoption of the unique and widely-acclaimed front-end first offered on the Special Series in August. The new front-end is a sturdy grille and bumper combination which has proved highly successful since it was brought out on the Special. With the combination grille and bumper it has been possible to shorten the Super 5 3-8 inches over-all. Super models now are 204 inches over-all, except for the one long wheelbase model which is 208 inches, and Roadmasters are 208.8 inches except for the long wheelbase model in this series, which is 212.8 inches.

The new Super engine, designated the F-263, has Buick's valve-in-head, Fireball design but it develops 128

brake horsepower with Dynaflo at 3,600 RPM compared with the 120 horsepower of its predecessor. It has a compression ratio of 7.2 to 1 as against 6.9 previously. With synchro-mesh transmission the engine has 124 horsepower and a compression ratio of 6.9 to 1. It has been designed especially to take greater advantage of the new and higher octane fuels recently made available by the petroleum industry.

The new F-263 has a piston stroke of 4 1-8, a bore of 3 3-16 inches as against 3 3-32 formerly, and a displacement of 263.3 cubic inches contrasted to 248.1 previously.

The compression ratio of all engines in the Roadmaster and Special Series with Dynaflo also has been increased to 7:2 to 1, with a corresponding increase in horsepower. Brake horsepower of the Special with Dynaflo now is 122 and on the Roadmaster 152.



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SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JANUARY 1 and 2



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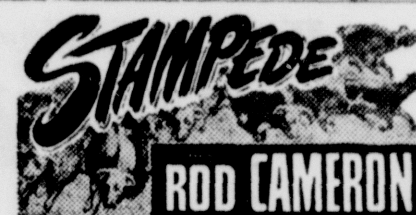
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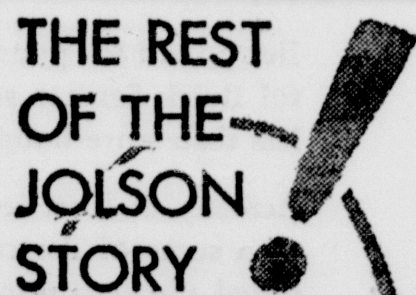
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## Cameron Theatre

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31

"ARTIC MANHUNT"

Mikel Conrad and Carol Thurston

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY  
JANUARY 1, 2, 3, and 4

## "Jolson Sings Again"

Larry Parks, Barbara Hale, William Demarest, Ludwig  
Donath, Myrna McCormick and Tamara Shayne

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 5 and 6

"ROPE OF SAND"

Burt Lancaster and Paul Henreid

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7

"BLONDIE HITS THE JACKPOT"

Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake

## Milam Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30 and 31

"SUSANNA PASS"

Roy Rogers

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JANUTRY 1 and 2

"STAMPEDE"

Rod Cameron and Gale Storm

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3 and 4

"MIGHTY JOE YOUNG"

Ben Johnson and Terry Moore

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5

"JIGGS & MAGGIE IN JACKPOT  
JITTERS"

Joe Yule and Renie Raino

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JANUARY 6 and 7

"RANGE JUSTICE"

Johnny Mack Brown